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January 5, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
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**LETTER**

The Notice of Allowance mailed January 3, 2005 attached a copy of an Information Disclosure Statement (filed October 27, 2005) indicating that the reference has not been considered because no document was filed on record. Per my telephone conversation with Examiner Tabone on January 5, 2005, the reference was inadvertently not scanned into the database for consideration. Submitted herewith are a copy of a PTO mailroom date-stamped postcard acknowledging receipt of the reference, a copy of the PTO/SB/08a originally filed October 27, 2005, and a copy of the reference.

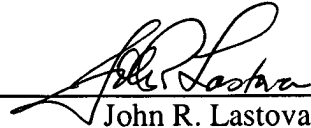
It is respectfully requested that Examiner Tabone please cite the reference and appropriately initial the attached PTO/SB/08a. Since this case has been allowed, it would be appreciated if this document could be forwarded back to our offices as soon as possible. Check Number 92775 in the amount of \$180.00 was stapled to the October 27 filing for the IDS fee. Authorization is hereby given to debit the firm's deposit account (Account No. 14-1140) should the PTO deem it to be necessary.

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